

6 speed device by assigning to said first and second interfaces an associated identifier
7 that identifies [the connection] a path between a first device and a second device
8 [said first and second ports].

1 34. (Amended) The network device of Claim 32, wherein the trunking
2 pseudo driver comprises an identification unit that assigns [a first] the associated
3 identifier to the first interface and the second interface [that identifies a path
4 between the first and the second device].

1 39. (Amended) A local area network, comprising:
2 a first device;
3 a second device;
4 a first interface coupled to the first device and the second device;
5 a second interface coupled to the first device and the second device[;] ┐
6 wherein the first interface and the second interface emulate a single high speed
7 interface.

1 40. (Amended) A local area network, comprising:
2 a first device [,] ┐
3 a second device [,] ┐
4 a first interface coupled to the first device and the second device;
5 a second interface coupled to the first device and the second device[;] ┐
6 wherein the first interface and the second interface are assigned an identifier that
7 identifies a path between the first device and the second device.
